

2022 KITCHENAID SENIOR PGA CHAMPIONSHIP: PRE-TOURNAMENT NOTES



May 23-29 • PGA TOUR Champions

Benton Harbor, Michigan • Harbor Shores Resort • Par 71 • 6,852 yards

Purse: \$3,250,000

156 players • 72-hole event

Defending champion: Alex Cejka



CHAMPIONS

NBC GOLF Thursday - Friday: 1-4 p.m. ET (GOLF) • Saturday: 1-2 p.m. ET (GOLF), 2-4:30 p.m. ET (NBC) • Sunday: 3-4 p.m. ET (GOLF), 4-6 p.m. ET (NBC)

CHARLES SCHWAB CUP LEADERS

Top-10 Standings Entering KitchenAid Senior PGA Championship

Pos.	Player	Money
1	Steven Alker	\$1,183,961
2	Miguel Angel Jiménez	\$952,708
3	Retief Goosen	\$760,749
4	Steve Stricker	\$600,400
5	Bernhard Langer	\$578,873
6	Scott Parel	\$531,835
7	Pdraig Harrington	\$504,416
8	David Toms	\$502,500
9	Ernie Els	\$462,808
10	Tim Petrovic	\$424,228



2022 SEASON WINNERS

PGA TOUR Champions Regular Season

Mitsubishi Electric Champ. at Hualalai.....	Miguel Angel Jimenez
Chubb Classic.....	Bernhard Langer
Coloquard Classic.....	Miguel Angel Jimenez
Hoag Classic.....	Retief Goosen
Rapiscan Systems Classic.....	Steven Alker
ClubCorp Classic.....	Scott Parel
Insperty Invitational.....	Steven Alker
Mitsubishi Electric Classic.....	Steve Flesch
Regions Tradition.....	Steve Stricker
KitchenAid Senior PGA Champ...May 23-29 (Benton Harbor, MI)	
Principal Charity Classic.....May 30-June 5 (Des Moines, IA)	
American Family Insurance Champ.....June 6-12 (Madison, WI)	
U.S. Senior Open Champ.....June 20-26 (Bethlehem, PA)	
Bridgestone SENIOR PLAYERS.....July 4-10 (Akron, OH)	
Senior Open Champ.....July 18-24 (Scotland)	
Shaw Charity Classic.....Aug. 1-7 (Calgary, Canada)	
Boeing Classic.....Aug. 8-14 (Shoqualmie, WA)	
DICK'S Sporting Goods Open.....Aug. 15-21 (Endicott, NY)	
The Ally Challenge.....Aug. 22-28 (Grand Blanc, MI)	
Ascension Charity Classic.....Sept. 5-11 (St. Louis, MO)	
Sanford International.....Sept. 12-18 (Sioux Falls, SD)	
PURE Insurance Champ.....Sept. 19-25 (Pebble Beach, CA)	
Constellation FURYK & FRIENDS.....Oct. 3-9 (Jacksonville, FL)	
SAS Championship.....Oct. 10-16 (Cary, NC)	

Charles Schwab Cup Playoffs

Dominion Energy Charity Classic.....Oct. 17-23 (Richmond, VA)
TimberTech Champ.....Oct. 31-Nov. 6 (Boca Raton, FL)
Charles Schwab Cup Champ.....Nov. 7-13 (Phoenix, AZ)

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STORYLINES - KITCHENAID SENIOR PGA CHAMPIONSHIP

Tournament Preview: PGA TOUR Champions closes the month of May at the KitchenAid Senior PGA Championship at Harbor Shores Resort in Benton Harbor, Michigan. It is the second of five majors during the 2022 season after Steve Stricker captured the Regions Tradition crown two weeks ago.

Players to Watch: Charles Schwab Cup leader **Steven Alker** eyes his third win of the season and first major title after finishing T3 at the Regions Tradition. **Pdraig Harrington**, who finished runner-up in Birmingham, is currently seventh in the Charles Schwab Cup standings after finishing second in three of his last four starts. **Miguel Angel Jimenez**, currently No. 2 in the Charles Schwab Cup standings, looks for his third win of the season and has six top-10s in eight starts in 2022.

SCORING RECORDS - KITCHENAID SENIOR PGA CHAMPIONSHIP

Category	Value	Player	Year
Low 18-hole score	62	2 times; last: Rocco Mediate (1st Round)	2016
Low 36-hole score	128	Rocco Mediate	2016
Low 54-hole score	199	2 times; last: Rocco Mediate	2016
Low 72-hole score	265	2 times; last: Paul Broadhurst	2018
Holes-in-one	13	Last: Stephen Ames (#15, 3rd Round)	2017
Largest 18-hole lead	5	Bob Charles	1988
Largest 36-hole lead	8	Arnold Palmer	1984
Largest 54-hole lead	8	Jack Nicklaus	1991
Largest margin of victory	12	Hale Irwin	1997
Largest come from behind win	6	Chi Chi Rodriguez	1987
Playoffs	9		
Wire-to-wire winners	9	Last: Rocco Mediate	2016
Successful title defenses	4	Paul Runyan (1962), Hale Irwin (1997, 1998), Colin Montgomerie (2015)	

PAST CHAMPIONS - KITCHENAID SENIOR PGA CHAMPIONSHIP

2021	Alex Cejka	2003	John Jacobs	1986	Gary Player
2019	Ken Tanigawa	2002	Fuzzy Zoeller	1984	Arnold Palmer
2018	Paul Broadhurst	2001	Tom Watson	1982	Don January
2017	Bernhard Langer	2000	Doug Tewell	1981	Miller Barber
2016	Rocco Mediate	1999	Allen Doyle	1980	Arnold Palmer*
2015	Colin Montgomerie	1998	Hale Irwin	1979	Don January
2014	Colin Montgomerie	1997	Hale Irwin	1979	Jack Fleck*
2013	Kohki Idoki	1996	Hale Irwin	1978	Joe Jimenez*
2012	Roger Chapman	1995	Raymond Floyd	1975	Charles Sifford*
2011	Tom Watson*	1994	Lee Trevino	1969	Tommy Bolt
2010	Tom Lehman*	1993	Tom Wargo*	1962	Paul Runyan
2009	Michael Allen	1992	Lee Trevino	1961	Paul Runyan
2008	Jay Haas	1991	Jack Nicklaus		
2007	Denis Watson	1990	Gary Player		
2006	Jay Haas*	1989	Larry Mowry		
2005	Mike Reid*	1988	Gary Player		
2004	Hale Irwin	1987	Chi Chi Rodriguez		

bold denotes player in 2022 field
** denotes player won in a playoff*

STRENGTH OF FIELD - KITCHENAID SENIOR PGA CHAMPIONSHIP

Five (5) World Golf Hall of Fame members

- Ernie Els
- Retief Goosen
- Bernhard Langer
- Colin Montgomerie
- Jose Maria Olazabal



Senior PGA Championship by the Numbers (as of 5/25):

- PGA TOUR Major Winners.....22
- Champions Tour Major Winners.....24
- PGA TOUR Winners.....68
- Combined PGA TOUR Titles.....344
- Champions Tour Winners.....56
- Combined Champions Tour Titles.....253
- KitchenAid Senior PGA champions.....11

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